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Middle School Ministry

LEADER BIOS

2024-2025

EVELYN DAVIS



Hello! I have a brother named Eliot and a sister named Hope and my parents are Todd and Sara Davis. I have been coming to Old North since 7th grade. Something I am looking forward to this year is getting to hang out and do fun events with middle schoolers.

My husband Lucas and I live in North Jackson and have 6 wonderful kids. We have been attending Old North for 9 years. I am blessed to be able to homeschool four of our kids, and I love gardening and camping. This year I am excited to be working with the 5th grade girls and am looking forward to getting to know each of them.

CASIE BACON



JENNA MCLAUGHLIN



My husband (Aaron), three kids and I have been going to Old North for seven years. I love going to the beach, spending time outdoors, and homeschooling our children. I'm so excited to grow closer to the students through small group discussions on Sunday mornings.

My husband Beau and I have been attending Old North since 2006. We live in Canfield with our three children. Because I have 2 middle schoolers and remember myself at that age, I know how imperative it is to have youth group leaders to guide and equip children during those formative years. I love discussing as a group what we're reading in Scripture & contrasting it with what the world is telling us.

BETSY TIGER



SAM OSBORN



I've been coming to Old North since 2015. I've been helping out on Wednesday nights for 3 years now and I'm super excited to hang out with the kids and help them grow in their love for Jesus!

God has been gracious to me by giving me Christian parents that raised me in the church and prioritized the reading of God's Word regularly. I have been married to my wife Carrie since 2003, and we have since been blessed with 8 children, 6 boys and 2 girls. I am a sinner saved by grace. I love God's Word, God's people, and helping people (children) apply God's Word to their lives and draw closer to God.

BILL TRUNICK



PATRICK GRAY



I have been a member at Old North since 2014 with my wife Ashlee. We have 3 daughters Evelyn, Vivian, and Etta and I son Owen. This is my first experience helping in Middle School Ministry.

TRINITY BAILEY



I am a biochemistry student at YSU and I spend a lot of my time studying, reading, or going to the gym. My family has been coming to Old North for about 25 years. This is my first year as a middle school leader, and I'm so excited to see how the sixth grade girls grow in their faith!

I have the awesome privilege of being a growth group leader to your 6thgrade girls every Sunday morning! In my free time, I enjoy time with friends and family, game nights, coffee, nature, and photography! My husband Bill and I have 8 children on earth and 2 in heaven. We and live in Youngstown, Ohio.

CARRIE TRUNICK



LUANN WINTERS



I have been attending Old North five years and am in my fourth year serving in the Middle School Ministry. I enjoy being around young people and listening to their thoughts and perspectives and sharing truths from God's Word with them. My facial expressions are often misunderstood when I'm in deep thought, so feel free to ask me what I'm thinking and watch me smile!

GRANT STRONG



I have moved to Canfield with my family from England in the summer of 2023. I have been a teacher for over twenty years and have a Christ-lead passion to encourage, care for and prayerfully inspire young children towards the Lord. Seeing how Old North nurtures and instills the love of God towards its members, visitors and the wider community has drawn me to serve and further Christ's kingdom with the Bible at the heart of it all!

AARON MCLAUGHLIN

My wife, Jenna, and I have 3 children and we live in Columbiana, OH. I like sports, playing the guitar, and camping. If I could choose 1 dessert to eat, it would be ice-cream.



RJ ESBENSHADE



I'm 29 years old, I have been a Software Test Analyst for five years now at Dark Matter, a financial company. Raised as an only child in a Christian household, I accepted Christ as my Lord and Savior at the age of four. My primary hobbies revolve around sports, either watching or playing. My favorite teams include the Ohio State Buckeyes, LA Rams, and St. Louis Cardinals. Also in my free time, I enjoy playing video games.

MEGAN STRONG



I have been married to my wonderful husband, Grant for 18 years. We have 2 children both in Canfield Schools-Colton, a Freshmen and Peyton in 8th Grade. I love working with young people and seeing the growth they experience as the Word of God becomes alive in their hearts. I am so excited to be a part of the Middle School Ministry this year working with the 7th grade girls!

I love Jesus, my dogs, listening to audible books, reading and my family. I'm a housewife and love it! I adore middle schoolers, they are intelligent, inquisitive and random. They keep you on your toes! I can't wait to watch them all grow in their relationship with Jesus over the course of this year. I have been married to Brandon for 15 years. We have a son, Landon who attends Western Reserve middle school. We have been attending Old North for 13 years.

KAY KECK



RACHEL SCHIELE



Hello! I have been married to my husband, Brian, for 17 years, have two children—Cayden and Kynsley, and call Canfield our home! I am humbled to be a part of Sunday morning Growth Groups! My hope for the middle school group is that they choose Christ and grow in their personal relationship with Him!

GOVA GULA



Hi! I've been attending Old North
Church for the last two years and am
excited to be part of the middle school
ministry this year. I graduated from
YSU in computer science and currently
work as a Software Engineer. I love
exploring my faith and sharing that
journey with others, and I'm looking
forward to helping students grow
spiritually and have fun along the way!

I am married to Courtney Osborn (11 years) and father of 4 young children (Violet, Rose, Judah, Louisa). We live in Columbiana and our family has been attending Old North since December 2020. I grew up locally going to Heartland Christian in Middle and High School before going on to graduate from Cedarville University in 2011. Currently I am a small business owner and enjoy spending my time with my family both at home and at Old North.

JOE OSBORN



JUSTIN WEINGART



My wife (Toni), son, and I live in Canfield, and have been attending Old North Church since February. We are so blessed and excited to help serve the middle schoolers this year as we try to help them further their relationship and knowledge of our Heavenly Father.

KELLY FOX



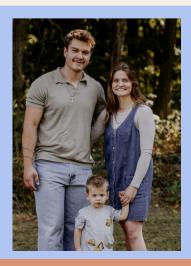
I have been attending Old North for 10 years and helping with the middle school ministry for the last 5 years. This year, I am most looking forward to building stronger relationships with the students and seeing them grow in their faith. I currently work in Human Resources for a local Auto Group and reside in Poland with my dog, Buck and cat, Melodie.

I have been attending Old North with my family for eight years and have helped with middle school for three years. Say husband Anthony and I have three daughters; Lena, Ava and Maria and one son, Si. I love gardening and running. One of my favorite parts about serving in the Middle School Ministry is helping young girls find their identity in Christ, and find the value in Him instead of in the things of the world.

KELCIE SCHIRALDI



TONI WEINGART



My family and I live in Canfield and this is our first year helping with the middle schoolers at Old North. We both have a passion for that age and we look forward to an awesome year with them.

CALEB MERCER



I have been attending Old North for almost 17 years. I grew up here, went to youth group here, worked as a custodian here, and have a deep love for this church and for serving the people of this church. I'm so excited for this opportunity to get to know this group of middle schoolers and walk alongside them as they go about their crazy lives!

My wife (Amy), kids (Eli and Emma), and I have been attending Old North for about 4 years. This is my second year helping in middle school and it is been a joy to work alongside Pastor Si. We moved to Ohio six years ago and Amy and I are both originally from Pennsylvania with no specific football team affiliations.

TODD MAINS



JONAS EPP



I am married to Madison and have attended ONC for 11 years. I graduated from Canfield in 2019 and am expected to graduate from YSU in the spring with a Master's degree in Mechanical Engineering. I am also in the US Air Force and was deployed to the Middle East in 2022. My faith has grown drastically since graduating high school by the grace of God through the highs and lows of life. I hope to encourage the next generation of Christ follower's love for the Lord in a meaningful and deep way and for them to establish their own foundation of faith in Jesus.